

**Response to Restriction Requirement**

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**REMARKS**

The following remarks are made in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 27, 2005. Applicant hereby elects Invention II (claims 31-35) for examination. Applicant has amended claims 31-35. Applicant has cancelled claims 1-30 without prejudice.

Having thus addressed the Restriction Requirement imposed by the Examiner, examination of amended claims 31-35 is respectfully requested.

No fees are required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)(c). However, if such fees are required, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0471.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's representative at the below-listed telephone numbers to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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